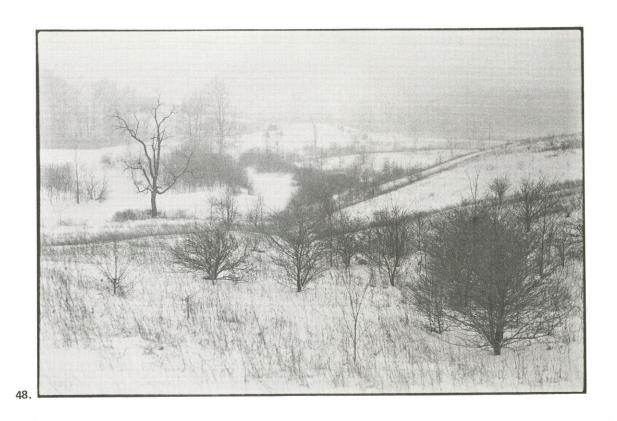
KALAMAZOO VIEWS AND POINTS OF VIEW

A PHOTOGRAPHIC EXHIBITION



KALAMAZOO INSTITUTE OF ARTS, MAY 6 - JUNE 3, 1973.

ABOUT THE EXHIBITION

Over the years photographers have been making thousands of photographs documenting the Kalamazoo area. In these times of increasing concern for our visual environment it seems appropriate to exhibit these photographic statements, both flattering and devastating, so we might see ourselves and our community as others see us.

The theme was established by the title; Kalamazoo, Views and Points of View and the subject matter limited to Kalamazoo County. Beyond that there were no restrictions and the submissions were gratifying both in their quality and their rich variety. In all 415 photographs by 75 photographers were submitted, with the final selection of the 116 prints in the exhibition made by the juror, David Vestal.

One of the major sources of photographs for this exhibition has been from participants in the annual Photography Workshops initiated by the Kalamazoo Institute of Arts in 1969 and conducted by outstanding photographers from all over the country. Among the teachers have been Aaron Siskand, Joseph Jachna, Paul Caponigro, Ernst Haas, Gary Winogrand, and in June 1973, David Vestal.

DAVID VESTAL COMMENTS

Among the strong photographs submitted for this show, so many totally different ones that couldn't possibly be compared to each other were competing that I could find no rational way to pick one over another. So I gave up trying to make rational choices and picked those pictures that felt best to me, on the principle that if you please yourself, you may possibly please someone else.

For this reason, the prize-winners are not the most spectacular or imposing pictures, but the ones that got under my skin and stayed there.

More pictures did this than could be given prizes, so you will be right when you say "so-and-so deserved one too."

The high proportion of strong and interesting pictures among the entries suggests that Kalamazoo is a photographer's town.

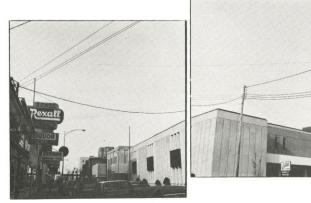
Mr. David Vestal is a well known photographer, one of our best writers and critics of photography and currently Visiting Artist in Photography, the School of the Art Institute of Chicago.







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AWARDS

Canon Camera given by Norman Camera Co: Snowfall Greg Hoag

Fifty dollar gift certificate given by Denny's Cameratronics:

Untitled

James Powell, Jr.

Twentyfive dollar gift certificate given by Marion Studios:

Burdick St. Mall

Ronald Jacomini

Kalamazoo Institute of Arts Purchase Award:

Untitled

Jim Nixon

Honor Awards:

The Elm Tree

Jack Sizer

Train Depot Ly

Lynwood H. Bartley

Those Were The Days

David V. Zakem

Bronson Park (painted man)

Norman F. Carver, Jr.

Snow on the Pond

Roger Hansen

LYNWOOD H. BARTLEY

- 1. George & Carolyn
- 2. Kalamazoo Train Depot
- 3. Willie's Barn

CARL D. BENNETT

4. Quiet Please

RONALD E. BOEHM

- 5. Untitled
- 6. Untitled
- 7. Untitled

HELEN BREWER

8. Kalamazoo Mall

DAVID A. BROWER

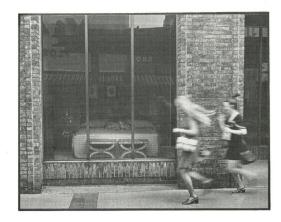
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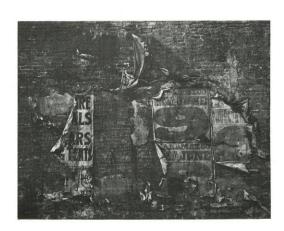
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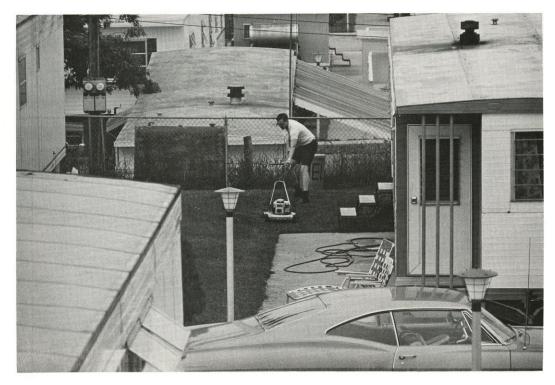
- 10. Of The Old
- 11. Sidewalk Riders

NORMAN F. CARVER, JR.

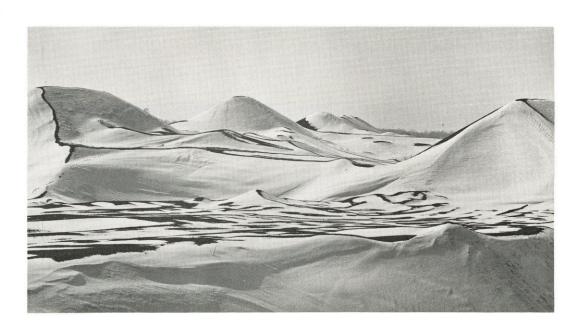
- 12. A Decade of Progress
- 13. Bus Stop Graffiti
- 14. Don't Walk
- 15. Fulton, Michigan 1973
- 16. Kalamazoo 1969
- 17. Kalamazoo 1970
- 18. Kalamazoo 1970
- 18. Kalamazoo 1970 19. Kalamazoo 1971
- 20. Kalamazoo 1972
- 21. Kalamazoo 1972
- 22. Kalamazoo 1972
- 23. Kalamazoo, Bronson Park 1970
- 24. Kalamazoo, Milham Park
- 25. Oshtemo, Michigan 1962
- 26. Oshtemo, Michigan 1970
- 27. Texas Township 1973
- 28. What Hath God Wrought







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DAVID COKEN

29. Train Track

DAVID H. CURL

30. Foggy Night

31. Okun Bros.

32. West H Avenue

LOIS M. DeMERSSEMAN

34. 235 Portage Street

ALVA L. DORN

35. Lakeway Avenue

FRED E. DUTTON

36. Downtown Kalamazoo #1

37. Downtown Kalamazoo #2

38. Grain Mill

JERRY EMRICK

39. Cornfield: Autumn

40. Fire Escapes Minus Fire

GUS GRINTALS

41. Untitled

42. Untitled

ROGER HANSEN

43. Snow on Pond

ROBERT D. HAVIRA

44. Spring Valley Park 1973

45. Untitled

GREG HOAG

46. Apple Path

47. Barn

48. Snow Fall

HAGGAI HOCHDORF

49. Untitled MARTIN HUBBARD

50. House 51. Sidewalk

52. Three Trees 53. Two Girls & Pup

RICHARD A. HUNT

54. Rainy Night In Kalamazoo

RONALD J. JACOMINI

55. Facade, Kalamazoo, Michigan

56. Kalamazoo, Michigan 57. Wall, Kalamazoo, Michigan

NICHOLAS A. JOHNSON

58. Untitled

JIM KEATING

59. Line Out

60. Rugby Player

JOHN A. LACKO

61. Stockbridge Street 1972

62. Water Street 1973

DOUGLAS LYTTLE

63. Pollution

64. Visit







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JOYCE T. MACRORIE

- 65. Deserted Barn #3
- 66. Deserted Barn #4

PHILIP MARIOTTI

- 67. American Aggregates
- 68. Women's Lib

GEORGE A. MATHEWS

- 69. Bas Relief of Vermeulen Store
- 70. Mt. Home Cemetery

ROBERT MAXWELL

71. Solitude

JAMES NIXON

- 72. Untitled
- 73. Untitled
- 74. Untitled 75. Untitled
- 76. Untitled

JIM POWELL, JR.

- 77. Untitled
- 78. Untitled
- 79. Untitled
- 80. Untitled
- 81. Untitled
- 82. Untitled
- 83. Untitled

RUTH POWERS

84. Mike

ED PRAUS

85. Landscape #2

DON RICE

- 86. Foggy Morning
- 87. Sign-Neurosis
- 88. Sleeping Spotlights 89. Solid Citizen

JAMES B. RIEGEL

- 90. Homage to Upjohn
- 91. Linda & Shelly Rest on Hawk Ridge
- 92. Matt Waiting at the Whistle Stop
- 93. Neighbor's House

BOB ROWAN

94. Pigeon Feces

DON ROSE

- 95. GMC-350
- 96. Untitled

DAVID SADLER

- 97. The Castle
- 98. Circus Posters
- 99. The Cyclist
- 100. Misty Morning on West Main

DUANE M. SCHEEL

101. Homecoming Queen

JAMES L. SCHOOLENBERG

102. Untitled #3

103. Untitled #4

104. Untitled #6

105. Untitled #7

JACK SIZER

106. Auto Ramp

107. Elm Tree

JON STRYKER

108. Willow Creek Stream

ANDIS SVIKIS

109. Last Peace March

MIKE TAPPIN

110. Dancers

WILLIAM H. WALLACE

111. Snow #23

112. Spring Run Off

113. Swamp Pattern #6

JEFFREY WOLIN

114. Bleak Winter Landscape

DAVID V. ZAKEM

115. Those Were The Days 116. Who Will Win

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